items of interest from the weekly Picayune of as Secretary of War. Yours, D. S. the 31st January :-

Late and Important from Mexico. and Ten Days Later from Queretaro.

Pena y Pena again President, &c. &c.

and insurrection in the city of Mexico.

mind, arrived in safety at Real del Monte.

Mexico from Real del Monte with a detach-Mexico.

The rumof prevailed in the city of Mexico hat the Mexican Commissioners had offered a

are suffering much from sickness.

From a hasty glance at our Mexican papers of which we have a full file, we can find nothing more than is contained in the letters of our correspondents.

We extract the following paragraph from The World, of Guadalaxara, under date of the of the first moments of leisure to reperuse our

"In a letter from Tepic, dated the 11th Deember, 1847, it is said that news had reached Mazatlan that 500 rancheros of California had attacked the Americans who were in possession of La Paz and San Jose, had defeated them, and set fire to those places. On the 2d, three American vessels had left Mazatlan to render assistance, and this occurrence would prolong the blockade of San Blas."

to contain much interesting information:]

Special Correspondence of the Picayune. CITY OF MEXICO, Dec'r 12, 1847. You will find in one of the letters of the. gentleman who continued his correspondence with you during my indisposition, an account hero of Contreras, and Col. Arrista, at the haaged in the most successful manner, and the

alry between Ojo de Agua and Napoluca.— Gen'ls Torrejon, Minon and Gaund, who were with the party, and delivered them over to Col. Childs, at Puebla, together with two party. I regret that in addition to these captures I cannot add that of Gen'l Salazar, who rendered himself infamous by his cruelty to the Santa Fe prisoners. The scoundrel was in the city a few days since, upwards of twenty-four hours, with his family, and the authorities, on learning his whereabouts, sent a body of soldiers to arrest him, but unfortubefore it was known he was here. All these not so severe as was reported. prisoners have been liberated on parole. The ken prisoners, and their influence not confined an Indian arrow. Mr. Lewis is a printer. owns at this side of Puebla, which was an with his brother, Col. La Vega, taken at Huamantla, and Gen'l Heren, taken at Cerro Gordo, came up with the train on temporary pa-

causes of animosity, by making additional heavy affliction to his family and friends. conquests, until the result of the proposition is known.

the United States.

A bearer of despatches from Washington it is possible that an onward movement may Congress, died a few days since. be ordered. If it is ordered soon, there is little, if any, probability of resistance being offered to our progress. There is not at any military supplies to resist one thousand of our

soldiers. I regret to say there is a great deal of sickness among the four volunteer regiments from Kentucky, Tennessee, and Indiana, which

We have news to-day from Queretaro .-Anaya, who was elected I resident after Santa Anna's resignation, has gone out of office, the

LATER FROM MEXICO. . . . who is supposed to be favorable to peace .-By the arrival of the U. S. steamship Edith The letter which brings this news is dated the New Orleans, we have received, through Organized by the Cabinet has been reorganized by the appointment of Sr. Rosas as 15 DAYS LATER FROM EUROPE. our New Orleans exchanges, Vera Cruz dates Minister of Foreign Relations and temporary to the 20th ult., the day upon which the Secretary of the Treasury, Riva Safacio as steamer sailed. We extract the following Minister of Justice, and Pedro Maria Anaya

CITY OF MEXICO, Jan'y 13, 1848. Two Weeks Later from the City of Mexico, was informed of a movement designed here to We extract from our Northern exchanges, So fety of Col. Wither's command-Rumors of and, if possible, to take them prisoners or kill such items as we think will be interesting to Peace-Capture of Gens. Valencia and Tor- them. The plan was, that the population, or our readers. rejon, and other Mexican Officers—Attempt | so much of it as could be induced to take part at Insurrection in the City of Mexico in the conspiracy, should rise, and, assisted by Skirmish between the Rangers and Guerril- a body of guerrillas which were to enter the The unsatisfactory state of the British reveias—Supposed Death of Padre Jarauta— city at a certain hour, make the attack. Du- nue has wholly counteracted the tendency to ring the day the commander-in-chief informed The U. S. steamship Edith, Capt. Cuillard, all the chief officers of the intended attack, mercantile affairs. The colonial markets still arrived last evening from Vera Cruz, which designated rallying points for the different relace she left on the 20th inst. By her we giments, and made every disposition necessary ave received our letters and files from the ci- to defeat the insurrection. At night scarcely y of Mexico to the 13th inst., and from Vera a Mexican was to be seen in the streetscruz to the date of sailing. The most impor- showing that the whole population had a ant feature of the intelligence by this arrival knowledge of what was to be attempted. The relates to the rumors of peace, and an attemp- precaution adopted, it is supposed, prevented an attempt to execute the plan. The projec-Col. Wither's command, about which our tors of the insurrection were either blind to last advices left some anxiety on the public the effects of their plan, or foreseeing them, must have been utterly reckless as to the con-A detachment under Col. Wynkoop captu- sequences which would result to their own red Gen'l Valencia and his aid, and Col. Ar- countrymen; for if the attempt had been made, risia, at the hacienda of the former, Tepijaco, there is not an officer in the army, not excepton the 1st inst. Col. Wynkoop was in puring the commander-in-chief himself, who could auit of Jarauta and Rea at the time. These have restrained the troops from sacking the

escaped him a few hours only. Gen'l Valen-city. During the night Lieut. Baker of the estaped that and Col. Arrista were released on parole. 5th Indiana Regiment, commanding a patrole, army and the religious orders were compelled Cols. Torrejon, Minon, and Gaund, were came in sight of two carts near the Plazza de to pay immense sums. shortly afterwards captured at Amazuca, near Torro, in the south eastern part of the city, Puebla, by Dominguez-Captain of the Mexi- one of which, containing one hundred stand can spy company in the service of the United of arms, he captured; the other he was unable to come up with before it was placed in con-Gen'l Cadwalader's command, consisting of cealment. Whether Gen'l Scott has the names the 4th Artillery, 6th, 8th, and 11th Infantry, of the parties who originated the plot, or not, left the city of Mexico on the 3d inst, for To- I do not know; but it is pretty well underbuca. The troops were in fine spirits at the stood that the chief conspirators are among at the time of the departure of the steamers prospect of active service once more. They the soldiers of the Mexican army, who assu- on the 18th and 31st of December, we annex ly large to admit the instrument necessary to had reached Lerma at the last accounts, with- med citizen's dress when our army entered the them as follows: city, and have remained here since. A few On the 4th inst., Major Talliafero arrived in days may reveal more in relation to the matter.

You will, perhaps, learn before this reaches ment of the 9th Infantry and twenty dragoons, you, of a similar attempt at Puebla, which the in charge of one hundred and fifty thousand promptitude and determination of Col. Childs dollars in silver bars-a part of the assessment nipped in the bud. Enclosed you will find Col. levied apon the State and Federal District of Childs' proclamation in the Spanish. D. S. &

Mexico, Jan'y 13, 1848. Yesterday Col. Hays and some of his men plan of peace—based upon Mr. Trist's propo- had a brush with Padre Jarauta, at a place West was daily becoming more severe. An at Tacubaya - which had been sent on called San Juan, some twenty or thirty miles appaling coroner's inquest was held at Ken-Washington city. The departure from the from here. Although the guerrillas far ex- mare, on four children, who had died of stardimatum offered by Mr. Trist, was supposed ceeded the Texans, they did not wait for more vation on the road side. They were denied be a demand for \$30,000,000 for the territan than the first charge, but fled in great confu- food by Capts. Osmany and Kenmere, of the six feet four, and elegantly propor- siana, of the Senate, and Mr Vinton of the ory proposed to be surrendered to the United sion. Jarauta was seen to fall from his horse, which, together with his lance and cloak, fell We regret to learn that the four regiments into the hands of Col. Hays. His saddle was were indulging in disgraceful squabbles and oner on parole here, is less than five feet in look out for a domestic partner. The Presi- Hhd. Staves, at \$10 a \$12 50. The article is which accompanied Gen'l Butler to Mexico, bloody; from which it is inferred that the rev- recriminations at the close of the year. Mr. erend scoundrel was killed.

FROM THE RIO GRANDE.

Among the passengers on the Maria Burt, yesterday, came Lieut. Franklin, of the Topographical Engineers, a gallant young officer who rendered himself conspicuous at Buena-17th of December. We shall avail ourselves Vista as a member of Gen. Wool's staff by his gallantry. Lieut F. is direct from Gen. Wool's head-quarters at Monterey, which place he left on the 13th inst. Just before he left, an express was received from Saltillo from Col. Hamtramck, in command of the forces there, stating that a report had reached him from a source entitled to credit, that a force of Mexicans 10,000 strong, under command of Gen. Bustamente, were marching down from San Louis upon Saltillo. The report even particularizes the points from whence the troops [We subjoin the following letters, which had been raised, but so frequent are the stam- judicious and seasonable article from the Auwe find in the Picayune. They will be found pedes upon that line, very little credit was attached to the report. Our forces there were in good condition, and perfectly willing to be attacked whenever the enemy thought best to make the experiment.

had apprised the merchants at Monterey, Camargo, Matamoras, and other ports, that he of the capture of Gen'l Valencia, the renowned could afford them no protection in the way of escorts. From another source we learn that all interested in knowing cienda of the former, in this valley, by a party | Col. Carisco, a Mexican officer who has renof Texan Rangers under command of Colonel dered himself rather conspicuous, is at Mon- valuable tuber. According to the cost of pro- proached very near the earth, and its display of a large quantity of the crude substances; hence Wynkoop, of the Pennsylvania Volunteers. terey, proposing to enter into negotiations with duction, no crop pays better. Irish potatoes was magnificent. From all I can learn, the expedition was man- Gen. Wool for a pronunciamento against the are now selling in this market at two dollars existing Government of Mexico and in favor a bushel. When we state that there are sevparty came very near laying hands on Padre of the United States, on the part of the States enty-five pounds of water in one hundred of larauta himself, who has been busy in this vi- of Tamaulipas, Nueva Leon, and Coahuila. potatoes, the reader will see that the nutritive Yesterday, Dominguez, the captain of the that cowardly chief of guerrillas, who has vagant price. Mexican Spy Company, arrived with a small given us so much trouble upon the Rio Grande. mail, and brought intelligence of his having Col. Carasco has been for a long time resi- crop? First, plow the land deep and fine, and had a brush with a party of the enemy's cav- ding in Matamoras with his family, and ap- fertilize the soil with those substances used pears friendly to the Americans. We know by nature in forming the stems, leaves, roots The cavalry he dispersed, and took prisoners not what degree of credit to attach to this re- and tubers of the plant. Success depends in

that Capt Hickey, formerly editor of the Vicks- which to plant the potatoes, place in the fur-American deserters, whom he found with the burg Sentinel, is undoubtedly elected to the row, as the basis of each hill, a shovelfull of Senate, from the district in which Brazos San- stable manure. Draw with the hoc a little tiago is situated, in the place of Col. Kinney, loose earth over the manure, and drop the po-

at the Brazos on the 22d inst. short time since wounded by a Mexican lan- ces as there are eyes or germs and plant three cer between Saltillo and Monterey, has recov- in a hill four inches apart. In the rows the nately he had left the city about two hours ered from the effects of his wound, which was hills should be about thirty inches distant from

The Matamoras Flag of the 22d contradicts and kept as clean as cotton or any other crop. policy of liberating these men I think extreme- the report as to the probable death of Capt. G. " If one has but little manure, its fertilizing doubtful. On parole they can go where K. Lewis, from wounds received in a recent power can be largely increased by throwing a they please, and among their own people can fight with the Indians near Parras. He was handfull of wood ashes into each hill before say what they please, which enables them to able to move about the streets of Saltillo with planting the potatoes. This crop requires a to us much more injury in exciting the people slight aid from a crutch. The wound is in good deal of potash in organizing its stems, to acts of hostility than if they were never ta- the foot, a toe or two having been cut off by leaves and tubers, an element which does not

lo such parts of the country only as they could The steam-propeller Massachusetts, Cap- make stable manure. Thus, in 100 pounds of muster courage to visit. As an instance in tain Wood, fourteen days from New York, the ashes of Irish potatoes, there are 51 lbs. proof of what I say, I am told by a gentleman arrived at the Brazos on the 17th ult. She potash; 11 3-10 phosphoric acid; 2 lime; 51 who came up with Col. Johnson's train from suffered some damage to her machinery, but magnesia; 131 carbonic acid; 51 silicia; 2.7 Vera Cruz, that on entering one of the small being a superior sail vessel, there was not chlorine; a little iron and soda. In the ashes much detention in consequence. Several la- formed by burning ordinary stable & cowpen advantageous position to resist the advance of dies, wives of officers of the army on the Rio manure, not over ten per cent of potash, or Col. Johnson, Gen'l La Vega (who, together Grande line, and others were passengers. Picayune, 30th.

Sad Accident .- Jacob, Shinn, seaman on little ashes, and without any manure. In 100 Tole addressed the first knot of his country- board the schooner Lenity, aged about 20, from parts of the ash of potato tops there are 471 men he met in the town, and asked them why Bordenton, New Jersey, fell from the mastthey were not up. It would be much safer to head of the schooner on Sunday evening, akeep hese men confined here, or send them to bout 5 o'clock, P. M., while attempting to dis- al as well as organized elements needed to engage the tangled halvards of the flag that make this plant. While in a moist, rotting It is impossible to say when there will be a had been hoisted in honor of the remains of condition, pine, oak and other forest leaves,

the possession of the enemy. The comman- feet. He fell head foremost on an empty wa- to enter into the circulation of growing crops der-in-chief, confident, perhaps, of a peace re- ter cask, breaking it to pieces. He received and to be re-organized by the vital forces of sulting from the proposition of which it is said a fracture in his skull, thigh, and fore-arms, the same. To transform vegetables which are the Mexican Government has made, is not and lived only about three hours, in a state of worthless, manures, and ashes of trees, into disposed to disturb the deliberations of the insensibility. We learn that he was a very valuable human food, is a study not less in-Government at Queretaro, by sending an ex- temperate, worthy, and industrious young teresting than useful. We do not think it nepedition in that direction, or to create new man, whose premature death will come as a

Commercial, 8th inst. 105-Hon. John W. Jones, of Va., Speaker of arrived yesterday with Col. Dominguez, and the House of Representatives, of the 29th

Appointment.-Mr. Appleton, late chief clerk to the Secretary of the Navy, has been 1847, was, in gold, \$20,231,385; silver, \$2,one point, that I can learn, sufficient men and appointed chief clerk in the State Department, 374,450; copper, \$61,888. Total \$22,659 in place of Mr. Trist; and Dr. Young, of 662. The deposites amounted to, in gold, Portsmouth, Va., has been appointed in place \$20,619,544; silver, \$2,450,059. of Mr. Appleton.

Death of Com. Ridgely .- Com. Charles C. Gen'l Butler commanded to this city. The Ridgely, died in this city on Friday evening. measles, the mumps, and the diarrhea, are the of gout in the stomach. The Commodore she can read and write. The power is given prevailing diseases, and on an average one-stood the sixth or seventh in the list of Caphalf the men in the four regiments are unfit tains; he entered the service in 1799, and his be qualified to instruct her off-spring, before minister, after making a very eloquent and be qualified to instruct her off-spring, before Captain's commission is dated Feb. 28th, 1815. Baltimore Clipper.

The Slave Trade. - The slave trade was inright of his office as Chief Justice, at present England possessed any West Indian Colonies production of cotton. fills the vacant chair, or has been elected President—I cannot positively learn which, but I monopoly. It was then partially opened for monopoly. clared that he will pursue the policy of Anava, tain .- Philadelphia Bulletin ...

FOREIGN. ARRIVAL of the STEAMSHIP ACADIA

Decline in Cotton and Corn. The steamship Acadia sailed from Liverpool on the 15th of January, and arrived at Boston On Monday last, the commander-in-chief days later than that brought by the Caledonia.

There had been more failures in London and Glasgow, as well as on the continent improvement that was beginning to be felt in

There was a still further decline in cotton, quotations being from 1-6th to 1-8d lower than previous advices. Best American flour, 29s. 6d. to 30s. Indian coin has declined 2s. per quarter,

and corn meal 1s per bbl Provisions were not in demand, and the tendency of prices downwards. The money market had improved, and con-

suls advanced from 85 7-8 to 87 3-4. over twelve millions sterling. Abdel Kader has surrendered the French forces in Algiers.

The Queen of Spain was seriously ill. Switzerland was engaged in reducing her

duct of the Federal army. n Switzerland. Italy remained tranquil.

American Wheat, 7s 9d a 9s 10d Indian corn 32s Od a 26s Od 349 0d a 38s 0d 14s 64 a 15s 64 15s 0d a 31s 0d 30a 0d a 31s 0d 28s 0d a 30s 0d At Dundalk seventy-two ejectments have been taken out, and eighty-two additional ordered by the Marquis of Anglesia, at Wexford. Extermination by ejectment was being

carried to a frightful extent. The famine and distress in the South and Board of Guardians.

The repealers of the old and young sections Ray made an appeal to members throughout therefore full sixteen inches more elevated ted guests. the country, which brought for first week £150, and for second week £69.

John O'Connell had been invited to a dinner at Paris on the occasion of the celebration of the obsequies to his father. A split had also taken place among the young Irelanders," which ended in the

withdrawal of Mitchell and Reilly from editorial chair of the organ of the party. John O'Connell originated an attempt at Limerick to reunite the young and old repealers, but Smith O'Brien would not consent short of a dissolution of the present association, and the construction of new societies, with another set of rules. Thereupon the

negotiation failed.

IRISH POTATOES.—We clip the following touching the modes of planting and cultivating from a small patch of Irish Potatoes, proper-Upon the receipt of this news Gen. Wool ly cultivated, is sometimes really astonishing. first appearance of this distinguished stranger, A successful mode of preserving them, in this

He also proposes to bring in Gen. Canales, matter in this article of food sells at an extra-

"What is the best plan for cultivating this a good degree on proper manuring. After We learn from a correspondent at Brazos making out good furrows, three feet apart, in tatoes over the same, which should be covered The steamship Ohio, Capt. Burns, arrived two and a half or three inches deep. As seed is expensive, it will be good economy to cut Capt. Deas, of the Artillery, who was a the potatoes before planting into as many pieone another. They should be plowed out, hoed,

often abound in the food of the animals that one-fifth the quantity found in the ash of potatoes exists On a good turf, well rotted, large crops of potatoes may be grown with a

parts of potash. "The leaves of trees contain all the minermovement towards any of the cities still in Col. Wilson. The distance was about 65 yield their constituents in the form necessary cessary that the citizens of Augusta and vicinity should be fed on potatoes which are grown in New England, North Carolina, and Tennessee. Nor do we regard it as impracticable to make potatoes raised here keep sound the year round. How this is to be done, we

will explain at another time." The Mints .- The coinage during the year

of Iceland, have the authority conferred upon word .- Yanker Blade. them by law to refuse to marry a woman, unless being permitted to marry.

Our Indian Corn crop, Mr. Burke estimates, from very reliable data, 550,000,000 bushels, equal, at 50 cents a bushel, to \$270,000,000, term having expired, and Pena y Pena, by stituted by the British Crown in 1585, before or about four times the value of the whole

Georgia, has resigned his seat in that body.

Texas Beveloping her Strength .- In the Mobile, of January 15th, we notice a new Philadelphia, a short time before he sailed for over and expressed surprise at the amount.—
customer to that port. Under the head of Sugar it is announced that "a cargo of sugar and he was going down to the boat on his way to made out a pretty round bill here, eh?" "I molasses arrived on Thursday from Texas, Washington, an old school fellow of his, from am sensible it is a pretty round one," quoth which is comething new in the trade of the the interior of Ohio, whom he commonly calcity." From the knowledge of a friend in led Jake Miller. They had not seen each ting it squared." matters, we doubt not that our elder sister, other for several years, though intimate friends

on the 1st inst. She brings intelligence fifteen Louisiana, will find a powerful rival in our in their earlier days, when they attended the younger sister Texas, in supplying the exten- district school together. sive market of Mobile. From a gentleman "Why, Dave?" exclaimed Miller, clutchwho spent seven months of the past year in ing his hand with the strength and tenacity of that very productive country, we learn that a vice-" is it indeed, you? Why, what in the rich soil of Texas, in what is called the the world brought you here, and what are you sugar lands, produces more sugar to the acre going to do." under the same amount of cultivation, or from "Oh, I am just on my way to Washington the employment of the same number of hands. Jake; but I expect shortly to proceed as Min and of a drier and better quality, than that of | ister to South America." Louisiana. Texas receives a larger share of "Indeed! why that's a great way off, if the the "trade winds," from being farthest west geography we learnt together was true. But

> her sugar lands .- N. Y. Merchantile Times. A Conspiracy at Tampico .- A sort of conspiracy was discovered among a portion of Capt. West's Louisiana mounted volunteers at tell you, Dave," whispering in his car, "it's Timpico, a few days ago. The conspirators were headed by Sergeant Van Doron, who, up to this time, stood very high is his company. He pursuaded a number of his company to desert with him, and take to the roads, for arrested and will, it is thought, suffer death.

by Dr. Cragin, of that place, upon a boy 9 ious contrivances, was looked at with eager years of age, in which the wonderful effects curiosity, as he carried his glass to his mouth The Pope complained to the Diet of the con. of chloroform were signally manifested. The and replaced it again upon the table-as he outer or small bone of the boy's leg. below picked up a pin or folded a sheet of paper. The allied powers still talk of intervention the knee, was dead and in a, state of decay, and unless removed, would cause the loss of the leg. After carefully passing through the In order that a comparison may be made of numerous muscles, a long incision was made the above quotations with the price prevailing in the new bone, which had formed and embedded within itself the dead bone, sufficientoperate upon and bring out this dead bone, which was successfully done, not leaving the smallest particle in the space it had occupied. The leg was then dressed, and the patient aroused, not being at all sensible that anything Jacobs, a wealthy young gentleman of Louishad been done to his leg

Colonel Harney is now at Washington .the following anecdote of him:

than this Mexican aid of Santa Anna. "Allow me," said a gentleman, "to introduce you, Major Iturbide, to Colonel Harney of the U. S. dragoons." Harney, in his most a moment with restrained astonishment upon Harney, the Mexican said, "I should hate to have met you at Cerro Gordo." The instant reply of Col. Harney was inimitable, while it was-it could be nothing else-gentlemanly. "Dear Major, I wouldn't have hurt you for the world!" The effect upon the company was irresistible.

A Comet Expected .- The great comet called Pingre's Comet," says the N. O. Bulletin, is the world have at present their telescopes con- similar complaints. stantly directed to the heavens, to note the whose visits are of such long intervals. Its climate, is a great desideratum, which we are appearance is of great size and brilliancy, and

We are happy to announce that Messrs. Bradley, Giles and Russell, of Wilmington, (N. C.,) have purchased from B. E. Stiles, Esq., a tract of land above the Canal, and near the river on Musgrove's Creek, for the erection of a large steam saw mill. The mill will contain three steam Engines, running several gangs of saws, and the whole business investment of Messrs. B., G. & R., will amount to some sixty thousand dollars. These gentlemen come among us with letters strongly recommending them to the respect and confidence of the community, from individuals of the highest respectability in North Carolina, with whom they have been for several years past placed in relations of business and friend-We welcome them to Savannah, their new home-well persuaded that the best in- | Green. terests of the city must be benefitted by their enlarged experience, and wishing them a successful career .- Savannah Republican.

A Yankee in a Cellar .- A certain nabob iving not a hundred miles from Beacon street, advertised for a servant, and a bright specimen of Yankee genius accordingly presented himself. His testimonials were satisfactory, and a bargain was about to be closed. " Cap'n," said the Yankee; " I 'spose I'd

orter to tell you one thing. - I'm a larnin to ted the disease, consumption, which proved fatal play on the French horn.' "Well what of that?" inquired the old gentleman, who, by the way, was somewhat in the 77th year of his age.

deaf, "I've no objection, if you confine your practice to your attic chamber.' The servant was accordingly inducted; and amused his spare time by practising on his nigh T. Watson, wife of Dr. Josiah O. Watson.

horn, a cracked instrument he had purchased second hand at auction. But if his master was garet Marks, aged 68 years, a native of Bladen co., satisfied, the neighbors were not. "Oit in the stilly night," their slumbers were invaded by desperate attempts at the "Mellow horn," and "Wake, lady, wake." Even the sleep of dir.gs in that part of the State. the watchman on the door steps was broken. A remonstrance was made, and the old gen- Brockett, aged 21, a native of Wilmington. tleman finally told the Yankee that he must wind off with the "stop waltz."

"I can't give up music," said Il fanatico por musica, " and I'll tell you how we'll fix t. The last fellow I hired with used to toot t in the cellar." So the Yankee was retained, with the sim

ple difference of his playing under ground instead of in the sky parlor. Things went on in this way until the old gentleman found his London Old Particular toms, and the most efficient remedies, and most and Scotch Ale running short. This led to an certain mode of cure, in every complaint to which investigation, and he detected our friend one her sex is subject.

day in the act of making a mouth-piece of the neck of one of his wine-hottles. "What are you doing?"

ed the Yankee, with an air of injured inno- with discoveries in medical and physiological scicence. "You told me to take my horn in the ence, which meets that question. cellar whenever I wanted to have a blow out." It is needless to say that the rascal was dis- ery wife and mother who has a regard for her own charged, and we are happy to hear that he health and welfare, as well as that of her husband. has joined a temperance society, and now ab-Qualifications for Matrimony -The clergy jures the "Mellow horn" in both senses of the ready proved a blessing to thousands.

The Girls -Not long since a marriage was touching discourse on the duties and rights of ted. those who were about to be united, suddenly exclaimed :- " Those who wish to be married will please rise!" and immediately after there shot up, above the seated multitude, the heads, free of postage, to any part of the United States. handsome and otherwise; of a crowd of young All letters must be addressed (post-paid) to Dr. girls, who had understood the remark which A. M. Mauriceau, Box 1224, New York city. Resignation of a Senator.—The Rev. Wal- was addressed to the contracting parties as a Publishing office, No. 129 Liberty street, New ject to the approval of the Chief Engineer. am inclined to believe the former. He has dethe benefit of the manufacturers of Great Briter T. Colquitt, one of the U.S. Senators from general invitation to all who were desired to be benefit of the manufacturers of Great Briter T. Colquitt, one of the U.S. Senators from general invitation to all who were desired to the benefit of the manufacturers of Great Briter T. Colquitt, one of the U.S. Senators from general invitation to all who were desired to the benefit of the manufacturers of Great Briter T. Colquitt, one of the U.S. Senators from general invitation to all who were desired to the benefit of the manufacturers of Great Briter T. Colquitt, one of the U.S. Senators from general invitation to all who were desired to the benefit of the manufacturers of Great Briter T. Colquitt, one of the U.S. Senators from general invitation to all who were desired to the benefit of the manufacturers of Great Briter T. Colquitt, one of the U.S. Senators from general invitation to all who were desired to the benefit of the manufacturers of Great Briter T. Colquitt, one of the U.S. Senators from general invitation to all who were desired to the benefit of the manufacturers of Great Briter T. Colquitt, one of the U.S. Senators from general invitation to all who were desired to the benefit of the manufacturers of Great Briter T. Colquitt, one of the U.S. Senators from general invitation to all who were desired to the benefit of the manufacturers of the U.S. Senators from general invitation to all who were desired to the benefit of the manufacturers of the U.S. Senators from general invitation to all who were desired to the benefit of the manufacturers of the U.S. Senators from general invitation to all who were desired to the benefit of the manufacturers of the U.S. Senators from general invitation to all who were desired to the benefit of the manufacturers of the U.S. Senators from general invitation to all who were desired to the benefit of the manufacturers of the U.S. Senators from general invitatio leave the selfish state of single blessedness.

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Never make a Preacher .- The Hon. David

and south in the Gulf of Mexico; the "trade do you get any pay for it, ch?" looking up winds" being embosomed within the region of inquiringly.

"Oh, yes-1 get nine thousand dollars outfit, and nine thousand a year." "Indeed! why that's an immense sum o

my opinion yu'll never make a preacher!" Artificial Arms. - An ingenious artisan, Ma Van Peeterssen, of Paris, has attracted the at The bullion in the Bank of England was the purpose of robbing traders. He has been by an ingenious model of an artificial arm, which moves with the same ease as the na-Interesting Surgical Operation .- The tural member-with the same precision and Georgetown Advocate gives an account of a rapidity. An old veteran who had lost both successful and interesting operation performed arms in war, having employed these ingen-

> Matrimony and Politics .- The Washington correspondent of the Charleston Evening News has the following paragraph in his letter of the 18th inst. The last sentence, that referring to the President, will not fail to soft and \$1 25 for hard. On Wednesday the strike the attention of those of our readers market revived a shade, and sales of some 600 who know the terms of intimacy which have heretofore subsisted between Mr. Benton and Mr. Polk. Yesterday, at two o'clock, the daughter of

ville. It is well known that for years there has been a coolness, an estrangement, between The correspondent of the Baltimore Sun relates Mr. Clay and the Colonel; but on this occasion, Mr. Clay was present, and handed the The fierce Col. Harney, of the Dragoons, bride into the refreshment room. Mrs. Clay the chevalier of our army, is in Washington, was a Hart, and Col. Benton is related on that the observed of all observers. An incident side-Thomas Hart Benton. At the wedding that occurred at Fuller's Hotel the other eve- were also Col. Taylor, the brother of old Zack, the week comprise about 1660 barrels. ning, may not be uninteresting. Col. Harney and Mr. Crittenden, and Mr. Johnson of Loui-Major Iturbide, a son of a former House, and others. Mr. Buchanan, being an emperor of Mexico, and now a Mexican pris- old bachelor, was perhps invited that he might stature. Harney, the American dragoon, is dent and his family were left out of the invi- rather dull at this time.

Reasonable Bequest .- A petition has been during the week. There is now some 20 or presented to the Legislature of Alabama, that | 25 rafts fastened to the wharves waiting sale. Charles Frederick Kollestinsti Von Poniatow- Buyers are slow in operating, not being in- of landing, inspection, cooperage, &c; say on lumber polished manner, bowed. Iturbide bowed in ski la Pogeat de la Ferrassee de la Poquellairie clined to come up to former rates. Sales of return, and then looked up. Looking up for nomme Pavillion, may be permitted to change his name to Francis Duncan.

Henry Clay in New York. - The New York city Whig Committee have adopted resolutions of Shipping Timber from \$7 25 to \$8, accorin favor of Mr. Clay for President, and of sub- | ding to length, up to yesterday evening. We mitting their preferences to a National Con- can hear of no sales to-day. vention.

SANDS' SARSAPARILLA .- For the removal and cure of all diseases having their origin in an impure state of the blood, and depraved condition of 314 bales as compared with 1846. The falling the general system, viz: Scrofula or King's Evil, expected to appear during the approaching in its various forms. Rheumatism, obstinate cutamonth of February. Its period is 292 neous Eruptions, Blotches, Biles, Pimples or Pusyears, and the most celebrated astronomers a- tules on the face, Chronic Sore Eyes, Ringworm gusta, Ga., Chronicle & Sentinel. The advice gree as to its orbit and return. The perche- or Tetter, Scald Head, enlargement or pain of the lion passage of this comet, was July 17, 1261, bones and joints, stubborn Ulcers, diseases arising the Irish Potato is very good. The product and 21st April, 1556. All the astronomers of from an injudicious use of Mercury, and other

It is highly concentrated for convenience and portability, containing nothing but the expressed essence, and is the representative of the Sarsaparilla Root, in the same manner as Quinine is of t is computed that in its absence it traverses | Peruvian Bark. or Morphine of Opium. It is an a distance of twelve thousand millions of miles established fact, that a few grains of either Qui-"The season has arrived for planting this from the sun. On its last appearance, it ap- nine or Morphine contains all the medicinal value the superiority of these preparations-and no invalid would desire to drink a gallon mixture, when half a pint contained the same medicinal value. Prepared and sold by A. B. & D. Sands, Druggists, 100 Fulton street, New York. Sold also by Wm. SHAW, Wilmington, N. C, and by Druggists generally throughout the U-

nited States. Price \$1 per bottle. Six bottles for \$5.

MARRIED,

In Beaufort, on the 27th ult., Mr. Thomas S. Howard, of Newbern, to Miss Lydia Ann Mason, of the former place. In Jones county, on the 30th ult., Mr. Edward E. Meadows, to Miss Nancy H. Herrington,

daughter of the late Jacob Herrington, of Oaslow In Columbus county, on the 13th ult., by 'T. S. Memory, Esq., Mr. David Ray, to Miss Sarah

DIED.

In this town, on the 27th ult., Maria Catherine daughter of W. B and Sarah E. Barclay, aged 11 months and 14 days. In Sampson county, on the 26th ult., John

Haywood Whitefield, aged 26 years. In Raleight, on the 28th ult., Mr. Joseph D. Gorman in the 31st year of his age. He was a member of Company H. N. C. Volunteers, and went to Mexico with the Regiment, where he contrac-

In Raleigh, on the 27th ult., Mr. Joel Brown, In Chatham county, on the 7th ult., Mr. John

Harriss, in the 79th year of his age. In Wake coun'y, on the 30th ult, Mrs. Penand the daughter of William Salter.

In Charlotte, on the 24th ult., Mr. Henry C. Owens, a very respectable and useful citizen, the builder of the Branch Mint, and other public buil-In New Orleans, on the 10th ult., Almon H.

The Married Woman's Private Medical Companion, by Dr. A. M. Mausickau, Professor of Diseases of Women, 3d edition, 18mo, pp. 250; price \$1. 25,000 copies sold in three months.

The great demand for this most important work (of which thousands are sold,) has compelled the issue of another edition. It is intended especially for the married, as it discloses important secrets 4 Russell. which should be known to them particularly. Here every female can discover the causes, symp-

It is an important question to the married why it is that we behold so many married females sick-"You scoundrel!" exclaimed the nabob; ly, debilitated, and prostrated, as also the causes, and whether they are susceptible of remedy. They "Jest what you told me I might," answer- will here find these important matters, connected This work is designed to be in the hands of ev-

> The revelations contained in its pages have al-To those yet unmarried, but contemplating

marriage, or, perhaps, hesitating as to the propriety of incurring the responsibilities attendant upon it, the importance of being possessed of the revelations contained in these pages so intimately in-) undersigned until the 1st March next, for the Copies will be sent by mail free of postage.

man's Private Medical Companion" will be sent L H PIERCE'S, Book-store

On the receipt of one dollar, the " Married Wo-

Tom presented his bill to his neighbor Joe

It is an oriental idea, that the spider draws ts venom from the rose; and thus if is that too often from the sweetest sources contes the blight of happiness and human affection.

Solitude sweetened," as the child said when he was shut up in the cellar where there was plenty of molasses.

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET-Feb. 10. BACON-The market continues well stock ed, and prices have still farther receded. See quo'ations.

GRAIN-Received 860 bushels Corn, and 44 bushels White Beans, from Mattamuskeet. No sale. Corn sells from store at 65 and 70

HAY-Sales in lots, from store, at \$1 a \$1 23. The stock on the market is principally confined to two houses, but the supply is fair. LARD-Plenty. Price firm. LUMBER -- The operations in Lumber

have been very limited. See quotations. NAVAL STORES-The receipts of Turpentine up to last evening, have been about 2600 barrels. The price has ranged quite steady at last week's quotations, during the week, not varying more than 5 a 10 cents either way, except in one instance, in which case a small lot of 251 bbls changed hands. under peculiar circumstances, at \$2 25 for bbls were made at \$2 30 and \$2 35 for soft, and \$1 35 for har!. To-day the market opined at \$2 35 for soft and \$1 35 for hard, but we have not been able to ascertain the extent of sales. Spirits Turpentine-Sales at 31 a 82c. according

SHINGLES-Are dull, and sales as low is \$1 75 a \$2.

the week at \$1 25, \$1 50, \$1 45, \$1 42, \$1.

STAVES -- Sales of 15 or 20,000 Red Oak

TIMBER-This article has arrived freely Mill Timber at prices ranging from \$5 to \$7 75, according to length and quality, and sales

PER STEAMER ACABIA. London, January 14th .- Cotton-The im ports during the past year show a decrease of 9,off in American has been to the extent of 117. 713 bales. Egyptian 39,672, and West India 6.528; but in Surat and Madras an increase of 127,694; Brazil 26,397, and Bengal 179 bales. The stock is now 451,910 against 545,790 in 1846. The highest price of Surats during 1847 for ordinary to fine was 44 to 6d, and the lowest 21 to 41 per lb.

Naval Stores .- The sales of Turpentine include 1500 bbls. of fair rough at 6s to 6s 4d per cwt.; spirits are in limited demand, at 34s. The transactions in tar are 1300 bbls. good quality, at 12s. 300 barrels Rosin sold at 1s 11d to 2s 2d for common amber up to 7s, for fine transparent.

NEW YORK, Feb. 7 .- Flour-Market quiet, and tendency downwards. Sales Genessee brands at \$6 061 to \$6 50, and Southern at \$6 25. Wheat-The market has a downward tenden-

cy. Sales prime red at \$1 32 a \$1 35. Corn-There is less doing in corn, and the market has a downward tendency. Sales prime white at 60c per bushel.

Collon-The Cotton market is very heavy. Provisions-The sales of Provisions are only for the supply of the regular trade. Lard, howev-

er, is dull, and tends downwards. Naval Stores - A steady demand, with sales of 300 bbls North County Rosin, at 65c.; and 120 bbls Spirits Turpentine at 42c., 4 mos. No change in other descriptions.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 7 .-- FLOUR-The market i steady but not active. Howard Street Flour sells at \$5 50, and City Mills at \$5 75 per bbl .-WHEAT-Prime red sells at 121 a 123 cents per bushel. Conx.—Sales prime white Corn at 48 a 50c. per bush., and prime yellow at 51c.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 7 .- Since the news by the Acadia, the market for Breadstuffs has been heavy, with a downward tendency. Naval Stores are in better demand ; 8"0 a 900 bbls. Spirits Turpentine changed hands at 35 a 374c per gall. part to arrive. Common Rosin is wanted at 80c. Sales of Tar \$2 25.

FAYETTEVILLE, Feb. 8 .- Cotton has come in pretty freely since our lost paper, and no change to notice in price; sells at 7 to 8. Corn 55 to 60. Oots 30 to 35 Flaxseed 1 10 to 1 15. Bacon

71 to 8. Flour 5 to 54 .- Observer. Rice 3 to 31 cts.; Rough do. 70 to 90 cts; Corn the penalty of the law. MILES COSTIN. 57 to 64; Bacon, hams 8 to 12, sides and shoul- Feb 11, 1848--[22-12m

ders 44 to 6; Lard 71 to 8; sack salt 18 to 17 dls

PORT OF WILMINGTON. Fab 3-Barque Edith Churchill, Dockery, Baltimere, 4 Barry, Bryant & Co. 4 Brig Belle, Myers, New York, to G. W. Davis.

Schr C. D Ellis, Steelman, St. Croix, to Harriss & Kus-5-Schr Egereinet, Ray, Bermuda, to G. W. Davis, 7-Brig Osceola, Emery, Boston, to O. G. Parsley, Sloop Gleaner, Upp grove, Lockwood's Folly, to G. W. 9-Steamer Evergreen, Rush, Fayetteville, to John

Banks.
Schr Mary Jane, Day, Mattamuskeet, to J Blossotit.
10 -Schr S Morris Waln, Beaston, New York, to E J Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, & Cutlery, Feb 2-Schr Wreath, Talbot, Portd Rice, by Potter & 3-Sehr Luculles, L. fkin, Fort au Prince, by Harriss

Schr Solid, Paine, Shallotte, by Harrise & Russell.

5-Brig Tangier, Park, Havana, by Potter 4 kidder. Brig Emeline, Perkins, Jamaica, by G W Davis. Schr John W. Dodge, Thurlow, Posto Rico, by De-Rosset, Brown & Co.
Schr Henry Alfred, Wass, Port au Prince, by W. B. Giles & Co. 8-Brig Nonpariel, Brewer, Portsmouth, N. H., by DeRosset, Brown 4 Co. 9-Schr Athalia, Pornell, New York, by DeRosset. Brown & Co. Schr Abby Hammond, Martin, Boston, by G W Davis. Br Brig Elizabeth Hastings, McMurtry, Jamaica, by do. Sloop Gleanor, Uptegrove, Challotte, by do. 10—Brig David Duffell, Collett, Nantucket, by do TO CLEAR TO MORROW. 12-Schr Thos B Smith, Smith, New York, by E .

THERSDAY, Feb. 10, 1848. MEMORANDUM - The schooner S. Morris Waln, Bens ton, master, reported ashore at New lulet flar yesterday, has been got dif without damage, and arrived at this port to-day.

PROPOSALS.

CEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the volving their future happiness, cannot be apprecia- following material wanted by the Fire Department of the Town of Wilmington, viz: 5:10 feet Lesther Itose 25 inches in diameter ;

12 pair couplings to match; 600 feet Leather Hose 21 inches in diameter; 12 pair couplings to match;

Proposals must state the price of Copper an Tin Riveted Hose separate. The whole to be sub-D. W. WOOD, Chief Engineer, Feb'y 11, 1916-12001M

BACON-Per pound: Hams, Middlings, Shoulders Hag round Western, BEANS-Per bushel-White, BEESWAX-Per pound. BUTTER-Per pound, BEEF-Per barrel.
Northern-Mess.
Do Prime,
Beef, on the hoof, per cut,
CORN-Per bushel, COFFEE- Per pound, Rio. Lugayra, CANTILES Tallow-per pound Sperm, FEATHERS Fer pound, FLOUR-Conat-Fer barrely HAY-Northern-Per 100 pounds, 1 00 a IRON-Per pound, LARD-Per pound, Western, LIME-Thomastown-Perbarrel LUMBER-River-Per M. Flooring Boards, Wide, do Scantling, Timber, Mill, Shipping Timber, OLASSES-West Indies, 22 MACKEREL - Per barrel. Yellow Dip Turpentine, Virgin Dip. Pitch. Resin-No. 1. Spirita Turpentine, OIL-Sperm-Pergullon, PEAS-Ground-Per bushel, Black Eye, CRK-Perbarrel. 15 00 Northern Mess, Prime, RICE-Per 100 paunds, RICE-Per 100 paunds, Rough-Per bushel, SALT-Per bushel, Turks Island, Liverpool-sack, SOAP-Per pound, SHINGLES-Per M . 1 75 a Contract SPIRIT'S-Per gallon. Northern Rum, Gin,
Whiskey,
Apple Brandy,
STEEL-Per pound,
STWES-Per M. to the order it is put up. Tar-This article has been quite fluctuating, and a still further reduction has been submitted to: sales during 12 - a 16 -Witte Oak barrels-rough, Red Oak Hogshead-rough 40 and closing at the latter price. Sales of Dressed, SUGAR-Per pound. New-Orleans, Porto Rico, St. Croix, TALLOW-Per pound, TOBACCO-Leaf-Per cut., WINES-Per gallon. Madeira,

WILMINGTON MARKET.

WHOLESALE PRICES.

ways sold in the water, and are subject to the expense Soc to \$1 per M : tar and Turpentine about 10c. per bbl. For dry virgin or mixed turpentine a deduction is made Bank Rates of Exchange; Wilmington.

Norg.-River Lumber, Tar and Turpentine are al-

Malaga,

Bank checks on Philadelphia, premium 1 per cene.

FREIGHTSI TO NEW YORKurpentine and Rosin, per bbl., Spirits Turpentine, per bbl., Rice, per hundred lbs., gross, Cotton, per bale, Cotton goods and yarns, Tobacco, per Hhd., Finz Seed, per cask, Ground Peas, per bushel, Lumber, per M. Spirits Turpentine, per bbt. Tar, per bbl . Ground Pras, per bushel, Lumber, per ! Cotton goods & verns, per cubie ft., TO BUSTON -Turpentine, per bbl. Spirits Turpentine, per bbl , 7 00 a 8 00 Lumber, per M.,

CONSTABLE'S ELECTION ! We are authorized to announce Mr. DAN-IEI, M. FOYLES, as a candidate for the Office of Constable, for the Wilmington District, at the Election to be held on the 22d inet.

February 11, 1848 - [22te We are authorized to announce Mr. RICH.

ARD J. JONES, as & candidate for Constable, for the district of Wilmington, at the Election to be held on the 22d February, 1848. February 4th, 1848.

MARBLE MONUMENTS TOMB TABLES, Head & Foot Stones, &c.

THE subscribers have taken the agency of an extensive MARBLE MANUFACTORY at the North, and will receive orders for the above named articles on as favorable terms as can be pro-

cured from any other establishment. They have a variety of patterns and styles, with the prices, which may be seen at any time. KEEN & HUSTON. Contractors & Builders. Wilmington, N C, February 11, 1849. [22-ly

NOTICE.

LL persons are notified from hunting on my lands, formerly called the Edens lands, with guns, or dogs, or fishing, in any manner whatever. If free negroes or slaves are caught with guns or dogs on the premises, the dogs will be killed and the negroes severely punished.

ALSO, all wagoners, draymen, or cartmen, are notified not to trespass upon any of my vacant lots, from Boundary Street to the Dry Pond, and CHARLESTON, Feb 5 .- Cotton 61 to 72 cts: from thence back to the Newbern Road, under

Stall-Fed Beef.

MARLETE LESTS OF COSTIN & FOY respectfully inform the cit zens of Wilmington that they have now in their pound some 60 or 70 head of choice STALL. FED BEEVES, which they will be killing daily and bringing to market. All persons in want of good Berf will find it at the Market, on Market COSTIN & FOY. Street, for sale by Feb 11, 1848--[22-if

HOLMES & HAWES, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS

At the stand formerly occupied by Z. Latimer. February 11, 1848. Look at this. IE offer for sale, at very low prices, and upon the most reasonable terms a very landsome

assortment of fancy Day Goods. F.b 11, 1848) HOLMES & HAWES. NOTICE.

HHDS. brown Sugar; 20 bags Rio Coffee ; 10 hhds. Molasses ; 5 bartels North Carolina Lard; 2.000 the handsome Bacon Hams, For se'e low, HOLMES & BAWES. Feb 11] by DUTTER AND CHEESE .- 25 Kers Gos' en Butter; 30 Boxes Cheese; received per brig D. W. Woop. Belle and for sale by

OUGARS .- Woolsey's Loaf, Crushed, Pulver-Fixed and Ground St Croix and Porto Rico Sugars; received per brig Belle, and for sale by D. W. WOOD.

MEAL .- 100 bushels Fresh Meal, just received, and for sale by MckBLLAR & McRAE. PLOUR .- 20 Bbls: Fayetteville Fine and Sup. Fine Flour; for tale by

McKELLAR & McRAE. OFFEE -30 Bags prime Rio Coffee; for sale by McKELLAR & McRAE.

MOLASSES -Bright, heavy new crop Cuba Molasses, in Hhds. and Bbls., suitable for retailore & family u er for sale by WM A GWYER.